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DUAL INPUT AC AND DC POWER SUPPLY HAVING A PROGRAMMABLE DC OUTPUT UTILIZING A SECONDARY BUCK CONVERTER

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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